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In re the Application of:

EIGEN et al.

Group Art Unit: 2856

Serial No.: 08/750,715

Examiner: T. Noland

Filed: March 19, 1997

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE SELECTIVE WITHDRAWAL OF
COMPONENTS FROM COMPLEX MIXTURES

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a refund in the amount of \$760.00 to be credited to deposit account number 06-1358. On October 6, 1999, Applicants filed a Continued Prosecution Application with the filing fee deferred under 37 CFR 1.53(f), (Copies Attached). The PTO debited our deposit account in the amount of \$760.00 on October 14, 1999 for the filing fee associated with the CPA (Copy of Deposit Account Attached). On October 19, 1999, the PTO issued a Notice to Filing Missing Parts of Application (CPA) requesting payment of the statutory basic filing fee. Applicants filed a Response To Notice To File Missing Parts of Application (CPA) on December 20, 1999 with the filing fees attached. (Copies of Check Stub and Post Card Receipt are Attached Hereto).

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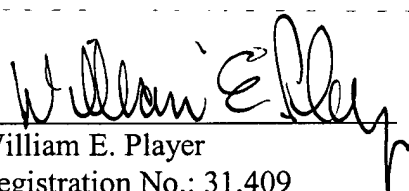
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Attorney Docket No.: P60752US0

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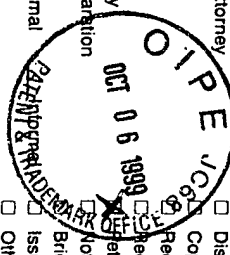
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Applicant Eisen et al.
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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on the date stamped hereon:

- ☐ pp. Specification & ☐ Claims ☐ Response to Office Action
- ☐ Combined Declaration, Power of Attorney ☐ Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment ☐ Copies of References
- ☐ Rule 53 (b) Application ☐ Request for Refund
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**MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
APPLICATION BRANCH**

Atty Docket: 10496/PE0752US0

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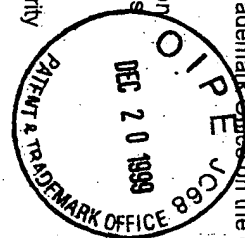
- ☒ Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement and cited references
- ☐ Combined Declaration, Power of Attorney
- ☐ Small Entity Declaration
- ☐ Assignment and Cover Letter
- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document and Claim to Priority

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In re the Application of:

EIGEN et al.

Art Unit: 2856

Serial No.: 08/750,715

Examiner: T. Noland

Filed: March 19, 1997

For: A METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE SELECTIVE WITHDRAWAL OF CONTENTS
FROM COMPLEX MIXTURES

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
APPLICATION (CPA)**

Box Missing Parts
Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**Attention: APPLICATION BRANCH
MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Sir:

With respect to the above-identified patent application, the following are filed herewith in response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application (CPA), mailed October 19, 1999, copy attached.

- ☐ Declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.63.
- ☐ Declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.63, attached to copy of application as originally filed.
- ☐ Small Entity Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27.
- ☐ Certified copy of ** Application No. **, filed **, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement and copies of cited references.
- ☒ If a Petition for Extension of time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge and fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a) - (d) to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any other additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

Appln. No. 08/750,715

X Filing Fee, calculated as follows:

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Large Entity</u>	
Basic Filing Fee	\$380.00	\$760.00	760.00
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Check No. 45447, in the amount of \$ 926.00, is enclosed to cover the filing fee and late filing surcharge. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit or credit any fees set forth in §1.16 or §1.17 to Deposit Account No. 06-1358 as needed in order to effect proper filing of the application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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DATE MAILED: 10/19/99

NOTICE TO FILING MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION (CPA)
Filing Date Granted

The Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) request filed on 10-6-99 is entitled to a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(d)(1). The CPA request, however, lacks the filing fee(s) and/or items indicated below.

Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file the fee(s), item(s), and any surcharge required below to avoid abandonment of this CPA. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The total amount owed by applicant is the sum of items 1(a) or (b), 2, and 3 (if checked) below.

- ☒ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:
☒ missing.
☐ insufficient.

(a) Applicant must submit \$ 760.00 to complete the basic filing fee and the \$130.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) (non-small entity), or \$ \$90.00 to complete the basic filing fee as a small entity and the \$65.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) and file a small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27 claiming such status (if the prior application was entitled to small entity status and such status is still proper and desired, a new small entity statement is not required (37 CFR 1.28)).

(b) Applicant must submit \$ _____ to complete the basic filing fee as a small entity and the \$65.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e).

- ☒ 2. Additional claim fees of
\$ _____ (non-small entity) or \$ _____ (small entity) for _____ independent claims over 3.
\$ 360.00 (non-small entity) or \$ _____ (small entity) for 8 claims over 20.
\$ _____ (non-small entity) or \$ _____ (small entity) for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

- ☐ 3. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21 (m)).
☐ 4. The CPA request is unsigned. Applicant must file a signed duplicate or ratification of the CPA request.
☐ 5. Other: _____

A copy of this Notice MUST be returned with the reply.

Direct the reply and any questions about this Notice to:

Examining Group _____

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CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)
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This is a request for filing a [☒] continuation or [☐] divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) of prior application 08/750,715 filed on March 19, 1997, entitled **A METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE SELECTIVE WITHDRAWAL OF CONTENTS FROM COMPLEX MIXTURES** by the following inventor(s):

EIGEN, Manfred
RIGLER, Rudolf
HENCO, Karsten

1. [☐] Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____
_____ under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
2. [☐] A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. [☐] Cancel claim(s) _____ for purposes of lessening filing fees.
4. [☒] **Filing Fee payment is deferred under 37 CFR 1.53(f).**
5. [☐] This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53(d)(4).
 - a. [☐] **DELETE** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:

 - b. [☐] The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
6. [☐] A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.
7. [☐] Enclosed is a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) and PTO 1449 less the cited references which was filed in the prior nonprovisional application which is relied on for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. 120 and was not considered by the Examiner.
8. [☐] Small entity status:
 - a. [☐] A small entity statement is enclosed.
 - b. [☐] A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
 - c. [☐] Is no longer claimed.

9. ☒ Petition to extend the life of the above prior nonprovisional application to at least the date hereof

NOTE: (One box) ☒ is being filed concurrently herewith
(must be) ☐ was previously filed
(X'd) ☐ is not necessary

If a Petition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge any fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a)(1)-(5) to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

10. ☐ Also enclosed is:

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